

# Syllable Types and Words to Describe Them

(use sign language to make it multisensory)

1. Closed: A vowel followed by a consonant and the vowel sound is short
2. Open: A vowel followed by nothing and the vowel sound is long
3. Magic E: A vowel followed by a consonant E and the vowel sound is long
4. R-Controlled: A vowel followed by an R and the vowel sound changes
5. Consonant LE: Consonant LE, count back three
6. Vowel Team: A vowel followed by another vowel and the first vowel is usually long